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PRESS RELEASE

Fifth Traffic Fatality

01/21/2022

Date/Time: 01/21/2022 at 2:28 AM **Location:** I-10 East Mile Marker 30 **Vehicle:** 2016 Silver Nissan Sentra

Driver: Marialexis Juana Calderon, 21 years old, Eastside El Paso, Texas resident

(Deceased)

El Paso, Texas – The El Paso Police Departments Special Traffic Investigators responded to I-10 East at Mile Marker 30 (Near Lee Trevino exit) in reference to a fatal collision. Preliminary Investigation revealed the Nissan Sentra driven by Calderon was traveling eastbound. Witnesses said the Sentra was seen driving at a high rate of speed and swerving across all lanes. The witnesses said they lost visual of the Sentra momentarily and shortly after observed the Sentra had crashed into a guardrail located on the right side of the I-10. The investigation also revealed when Calderon crashed into the guardrail, the guardrail broke and entered the vehicle causing major damage and killing Calderon. Speed is a contributing factor in this fatal collision. The investigation continues.

This is the fifth traffic fatality of the year compared to five at this time last year.

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